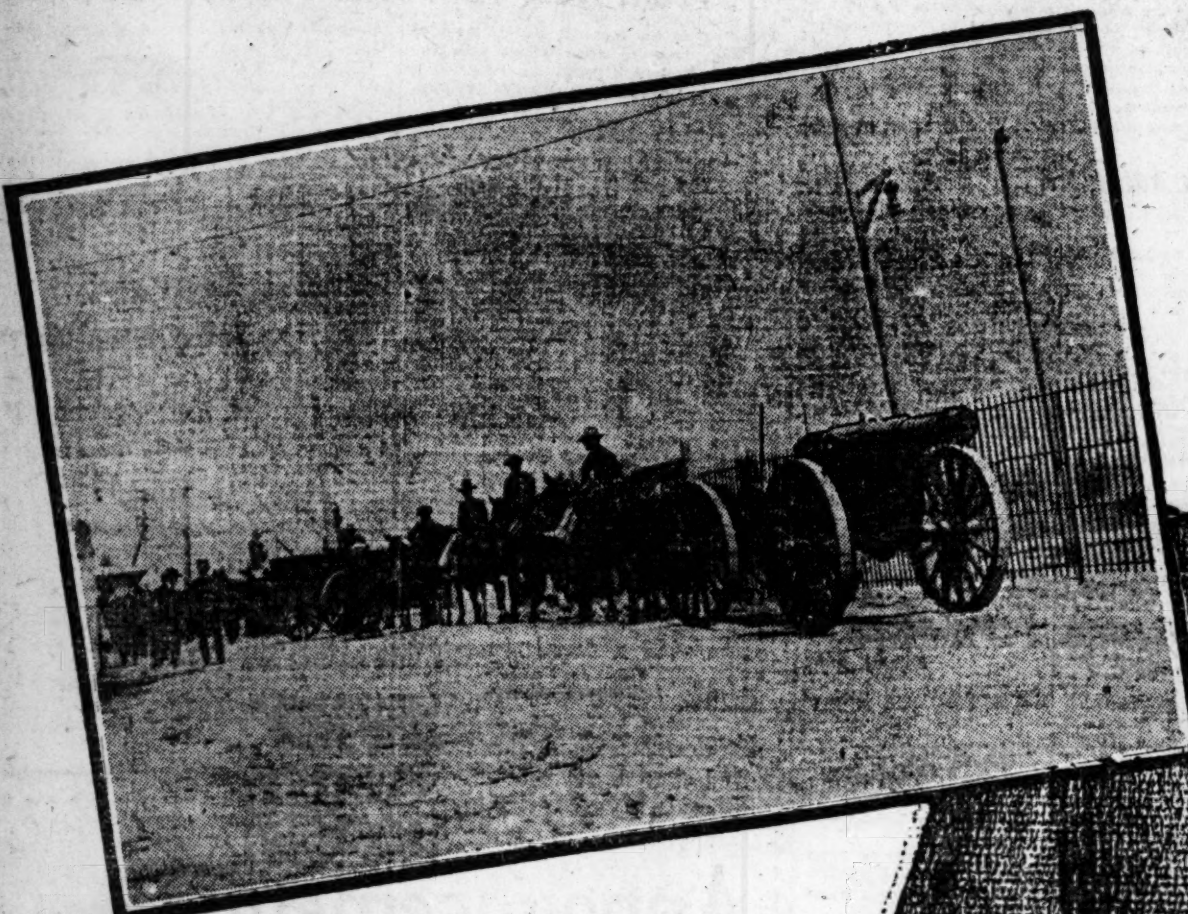


PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT REACHES ST. LOUIS AT 4:30 P. M.; CABINET TO CONSIDER ORIENT PROBLEM AT FRANCIS' HOME



One of the Guns of the Sixteenth Artillery That Will Salute President Roosevelt.

DEDICATION WILL NOT BE POSTPONED
Secretary Walter B. Stevens, of the World's Fair, says:

"No part of the official dedication exercises will be postponed on account of rain.

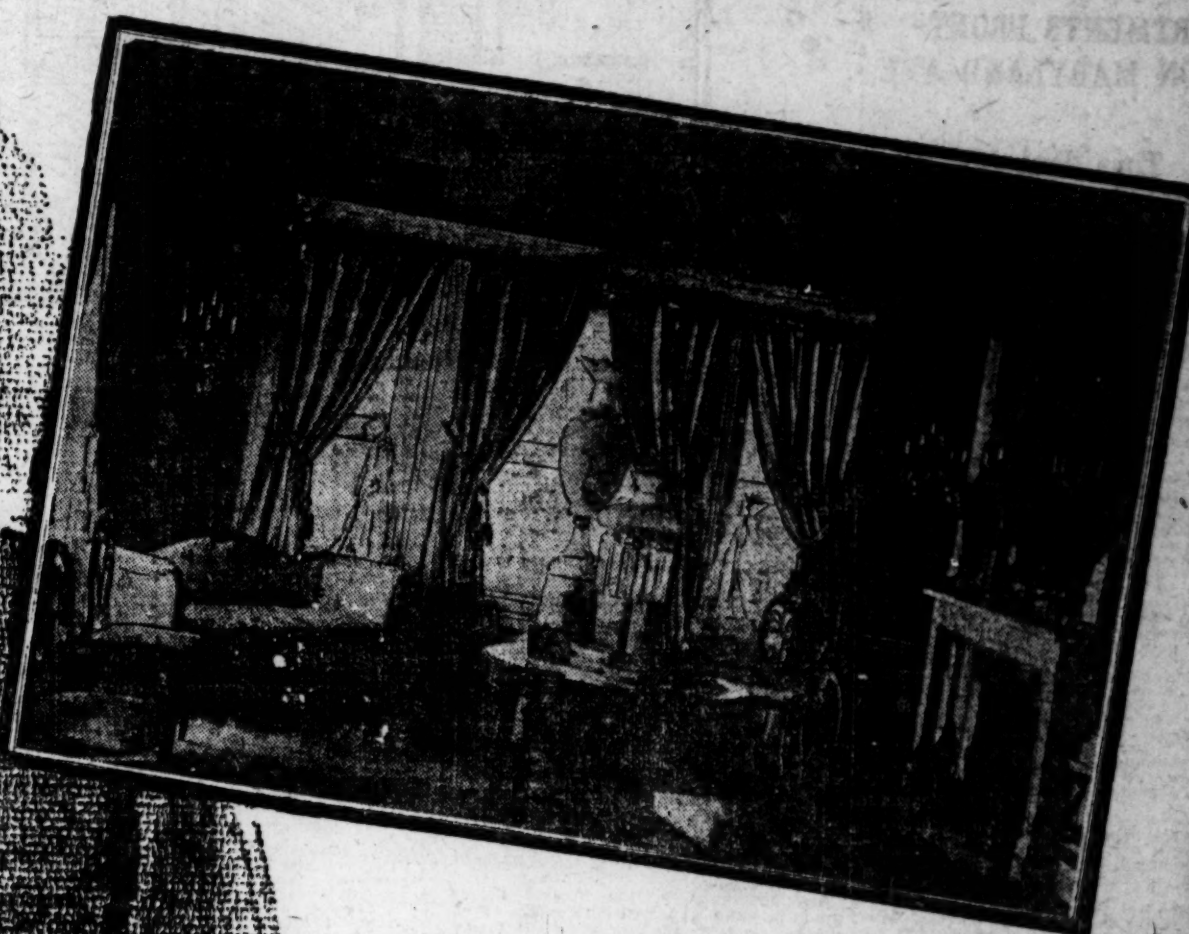
"If the parade is not held Thursday it will not be held at all. Ordinary rains will not be considered. A deluge may delay it.

"The dedication exercises are under shelter and will proceed on time.

"Rain might cause postponement of fireworks."



PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT IN AFTERNOON DRESS



Parlor in the Francis Residence Where President Roosevelt Will be Received.

Crisis in Orient, Threatening War or Immediate Partition of China, Will Cause First Gathering of President's Advisers Ever Held Outside Washington for Discussion of Important Business.

**EX-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND DUE AT 5:25;
MONITOR ARKANSAS ATTRACTS THOUSANDS**

Governors of 15 States With Official Staffs, Ambassadors From Foreign Powers and Head of Catholic Church in America Among the City's Distinguished Guests.

SUMMARY OF DEDICATION NEWS.

President Roosevelt's arrival this afternoon marks the opening of the dedication festivities. The President will arrive at Union avenue at 4:30, his train not stopping at Union Station.

Former President Cleveland will arrive at Union Station at 5:25. Both of these distinguished public men will be the guests of President Francis of the Exposition.

Fifteen states are represented by governors and staffs, and many senators and representatives from the National Congress are in St. Louis.

Free admission to the World Fair grounds, the last day before admission is charged, attracted many visitors there.

The monitor Arkansas, anchored in midstream at the foot of Olive street, will remain several days.

The formation of the great military parade to pass down Lindell boulevard tomorrow morning is announced. Fifteen thousand soldiers are in camp at the World's Fair grounds.

The National Guard regiments arriving from a dozen states.

At the World's Fair grounds the last of the preparations for the dedication ceremonies to last three days are being rushed by all available workers, and it is announced that everything is in readiness.

Manchurian Crisis Necessitates Cabinet Meeting in St. Louis

WASHINGTON, April 29.—The state department has received a dispatch from Ambassador McCormick at St. Petersburg, that the Russian minister for foreign affairs has assured him that the published reports of the proposed convention between Russia and China relating to Manchuria are absolutely incorrect and that there is no foundation for the report that Russia demands that China shall refuse the requests of other powers for treaty ports and consulates in Manchuria.

It is understood also that similar assurances were received by the secretary of state from the Russian ambassador yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Michael Herbert, the British ambassador, called on Secretary Hay today and was acquainted with the nature of the report made by Mr. Hitchcock, and it is presumed that he had similar advices from his own government.

Baron Von Sternberg, the German minister, in company with Baron Scheller, the new second secretary of the German embassy, also called at the state department.

RUSSIA'S SUDDEN ORIENTAL COUP

Russia occupied Manchuria at the close of the China-Japanese war, with the consent of China and the powers, a provisional agreement being made to withdraw troops after work at hand was accomplished.

The ostensible purpose was to free the rich province from brigandage and complete the Transiberian railroad.

Now China announces that Russia has made demands that will virtually mean cessation of the province to Russia and the closing of ports to the world.

Such action would be a direct blow to the open door commerce policy inaugurated by the United States and in violation of treaty not yet seen the United States and China.

Diplomats hold that policy means war or division of China.

Manchuria contains 400,000 square miles, and if set down in the United States would cover New England, New York, Delaware, Virginia, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Ohio and Illinois.

and he likewise was advised of developments in the case.

Those advisers have done much to the feeling of anxiety and which was aroused in Washington.

CONTINUED ON

RELEASE OF HICKOX AND PAGE ORDERED

Judges Hold They are Within Their Constitutional Rights in Refusing to Tell About Big Bills.

SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 29.—A decision rendered this morning by Judges Fox, Robinson and Burgess, ordering the discharge of Irwin L. Page and Cole N. Hickox, will prove the most severe setback the prosecution in the boodle cases has yet received. The court ruled that Hickox and Page cannot be compelled to tell from whom they received the \$1000 and \$500 bills which they had in their possession during the recent legislative session, or about the time the greater part of the alum boodle was distributed.

The judges said that Page and Hickox, in refusing to answer the questions propounded by the grand jury on the ground that they might incriminate themselves, were within their constitutional rights and commanded Sheriff Smith to immediately discharge them from custody. Smith had the prisoners under commitment for contempt issued by Judge Hasell of the circuit court on Monday.

Judge Hasell held that they could tell from whom they received the money without in any way placing themselves in danger of prosecution. The supreme court maintains that the names of the men who gave them the money might be a necessary link in the chain to secure their conviction.

Chief Justice Robinson in announcing the release of the prisoners, said: "Witnesses are under oath, and they know better than anyone else what circumstances, if disclosed, might incriminate them and in this they are the law. To tell where they got money might be a circumstance to incriminate, and this court has no power to invade the money might be a necessary link in the chain to secure their conviction."

The case was argued at length, Attorney-General Crow representing the state, while W. S. Pope spoke for the prisoners.

At 11 o'clock the grand jury resumed operations.

**THE PRESIDENT
AT QUINCY**

QUINCY, Ill., April 29.—President Roosevelt stopped here about 45 minutes this morning. A large crowd was on hand to greet him and amid cheers he was driven to Courthouse park, where he delivered a short address.

70 PERSONS KILLED BY EARTHQUAKE

The Mining Town of Frank, Northwest Territory, the Scene of this Terrible Disaster.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 29.—A private dispatch from Frank, N. W. T., states that a terrible earthquake has occurred there, wiping out a mine and killing seventy people.

Frank is a few miles east of Fernie, B. C., where the terrible explosion occurred a few months ago.

About two years ago, H. L. Frank, of Montana, began developing the coal field, driving in a tunnel for about two miles.

Above this tunnel the coal was stoped out for nearly 100 feet. It is supposed here that the earthquake has crushed in the walls of this stop, imprisoning the miners. The output of Frank's mine is estimated at 500 to 1000 tons of coal per day.

The wires are down and the line is reported to be covered for a mile and a half east from ten to fifty feet in depth.

Frank is a new mining town in Alberta, near Lethbridge, and about on the boundary line between British Columbia and the United States.

GOV. FERGUSON'S SPECIAL TRAIN

Gov. Thomas B. Ferguson of Oklahoma arrived by special train over the Frisco at noon Wednesday. He was accompanied by his staff, and on the same train came the Oklahoma Cavalry band.

The special was gayly decorated with flags and bunting. Three immense lettered banners extended along the sides of the cars. They bore the legends: "Oklahoma the next star in the flag," "Oklahoma—Forty-four years old—Population, half a million," "Oklahoma to the World's Fair."

TELEPHONE GIRL HURT IN ELEVATOR

Frolic With Companion Causes Accident in Century Building.

Mary Cooper, a telephone girl employed in the Century building, was seriously injured Wednesday morning by the accidental starting of an elevator at the tenth floor of the building.

After her injuries were given attention she was taken to her home at 4328 Cottage avenue. She was caught between the top of the door of the cage and the floor as she attempted to leave the cage. Her arm was broken and shoulder dislocated and she suffered internal injuries. She is 19 years old.

Miss Cooper, with another telephone girl, were on the tenth floor waiting for an elevator, and ran into the cage of an elevator that had not been started for the day, after opening the door which had been closed during the night.

Their entrance seemed to have started the elevator, and becoming frightened, Miss Cooper attempted to escape, but fell across the edge of the floor, and the descending top of the door frame caught her.

As the elevator descended, her body was crushed through the narrow opening between the frame and the floor and was thrown backward on top of the elevator cage.

Joe Murphy, an elevator conductor, heard the screams of the young woman, and stopping his cage at the ninth floor, opened the door of the shaft, and stepped into the cage as it came level with the runway cage as it came level with the runway cage. He stopped the cage and allowed Miss Cooper's companion to escape, and then rescued the injured girl from the top of the cage.

DEWEY IS AT SEA.
The Admiral Arrives at Cape Henry Drill Grounds.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Word was received at the navy department of the arrival at the southern drill grounds, off Cape Henry, of the Mayflower with Admiral Dewey and the other members of the general board on board.

WHERE PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT MAY BE SEEN FREE BY THE PUBLIC

WEDNESDAY.
Union avenue and Wabash tracks at 4:30.
Westmoreland place, Union avenue to King's highway.
King's highway, Westmoreland to Lindell boulevard.
Lindell boulevard, King's highway to Grand avenue.
Grand avenue, Lindell to the Odeon.
Odeon at 5 o'clock.
Grand avenue, Odeon to St. Louis University.
St. Louis University at 5:45.
Grand avenue, St. Louis University to Lindell boulevard.
Lindell boulevard, Grand avenue to Newstead avenue.
Newstead avenue, Lindell to Maryland avenue.
Arrives at President Francis' home at 7 o'clock.
Leaves President Francis' home at 8:30.
Newstead avenue, Maryland to Lindell.
Lindell boulevard, Newstead to Grand avenue.
Grand avenue, Lindell to Locust street.
Locust street, Grand avenue to Fourteenth street.
Fourteenth street, Washington avenue and Thirteenth street to Thirteenth street entrance to Music Hall.
Leaves Music Hall for Francis' home at 9:20 along route taken in reaching Coliseum.

THURSDAY.

Leaves Francis' home at 9 a. m.
Lindell boulevard, Newstead avenue to St. Louis Club.
St. Louis Club, 10 a. m.
Military parade, 10:30 to 11:30 a. m.
Reviewing stand, Forest Park, 11:30 a. m. to 1 p. m.
Liberal Arts building, dedicatory exercises, 1 to 7 p. m.
Grand stand for fireworks display, 8 to 10:30 p. m.

CAR JUMPED AND HIT WOMAN

Rear Truck Left the Track at Ninth and Pine Streets and Mrs. Bessie Smith Was Injured.

As a Cherokee car was rounding the curve at Ninth and Pine streets Wednesday afternoon its rear truck jumped the track and struck Mrs. Bessie Smith, who lives at 1121 Locust street.

Bystanders rushed to the assistance of Mrs. Smith, who lay bleeding in the street. She was unconscious from a severe scalp wound and an ambulance was summoned. At the City Dispensary it was found that Mrs. Smith was suffering from concussion of the brain.

She was removed to the City Hospital, as it was feared that her skull was fractured.

VERMONT GOVERNOR HAS LARGE STAFF

The governor of Vermont, John G. McCullough, and his party reached St. Louis at 1 o'clock Wednesday by special train over the Clover Leaf road. Gov. McCullough was accompanied by a large staff and a number of friends. Military men with the governor are: Gen. L. Bates, secretary of civil and military affairs; Gen. G. H. Gilmore, adjutant and inspector-general and quartermaster-general; Gen. Jesse E. Thompson, surgeon-general; Col. John E. Norton, inspector of rifle practice; Col. J. Gray Ealey, commanding First regiment Vermont militia. Aides-de-camp to the governor are: Col. Fred E. Burgess, George F. Leland, Charles W. Rinker and Linn D. Taylor. Accompanying the governor as his personal guests are: J. W. Stewart, former governor of Vermont; William T. Dillingham, United States senator from Vermont; David J. Foster, congressman from Vermont; Col. Harry S. Parsons, president of the Vermont Press Association.

Monday, May 4, at 8 o'clock P. M.
R. G. LANGHORNE, President.
W. J. WARD, Secretary.

and Hall
IN ENDLESS

BARLORS, 720 Olive St.
 10 to 12. Barber, 9 to 4. Soda drinks.

THROGS ON BOARD THE ARKANSAS

Excursion Boats Carry Thousands of St. Louisans and Visitors to the Monitor in the Harbor.

BIG GUNS ARE THE CENTER OF ATTRACTION

Base Ball Team Made Up of Marines From the Fighting Ship, Defeated by Christian Brothers' College Team.

Great crowds waited along the St. Louis river front Wednesday morning for the monitor Arkansas to signal the excursion boats that she was ready to receive visitors.

The people began arriving at 8 o'clock, although it was 9:30, as announced, before the first boatload was taken to the warship.

The steamer Corwin H. Spencer and City of Providence are the only large boats carrying passengers to the monitor, but scores of launches and rowboats move up and down along the shore, ready to take visitors on board.

The fare usually charged is 25 cents for the round trip, but each boat owner is free to fix his own charges.

Perfect system prevails in handling the crowds and no serious difficulty has been experienced thus far. Commander Vreeland has issued orders closing the officers' quarters and the engine rooms to visitors.

On the trip up the river the engine rooms were left open on several occasions and at Evansville, Ind., where the crowd was greatest, several women fainted in the heat and crush below.

A large percentage of the visitors to the ship are from outside the city, many of those who arrived in St. Louis Wednesday making a visit to the ship their first business.

SHE SHOOTS 1000 SHOTS A MINUTE

One thousand shots a minute. This is the number that the monitor Arkansas might fire into the heart of St. Louis if Commander Vreeland and his men would take a sudden notion to destroy the city's fair city.

Not a building in the city would be out of reach of their execution. Anchored just below the bridge the ship could demolish a house in St. Louis provided her shot straight enough and the ammunition hold out.

12-inch guns, biggest in the navy except those on the battleships, are mounted on the monitor, each weighing 14 miles.

A minute is rapid firing, however, guns, and every shot costs money. The big guns are fired 27 times a year in order to test smaller guns may be fired faster.

Two machine guns are capable of firing 450 shots a minute and the four 350 a minute.

Commander Vreeland conceives the idea of firing blank cartridges from his batteries the effect on St. Louis is not to be slight.

Louisians would be unable to hear him for at least a week, and those who happened to be along the river front at that time would be deafened by the roar and rattle of the guns.

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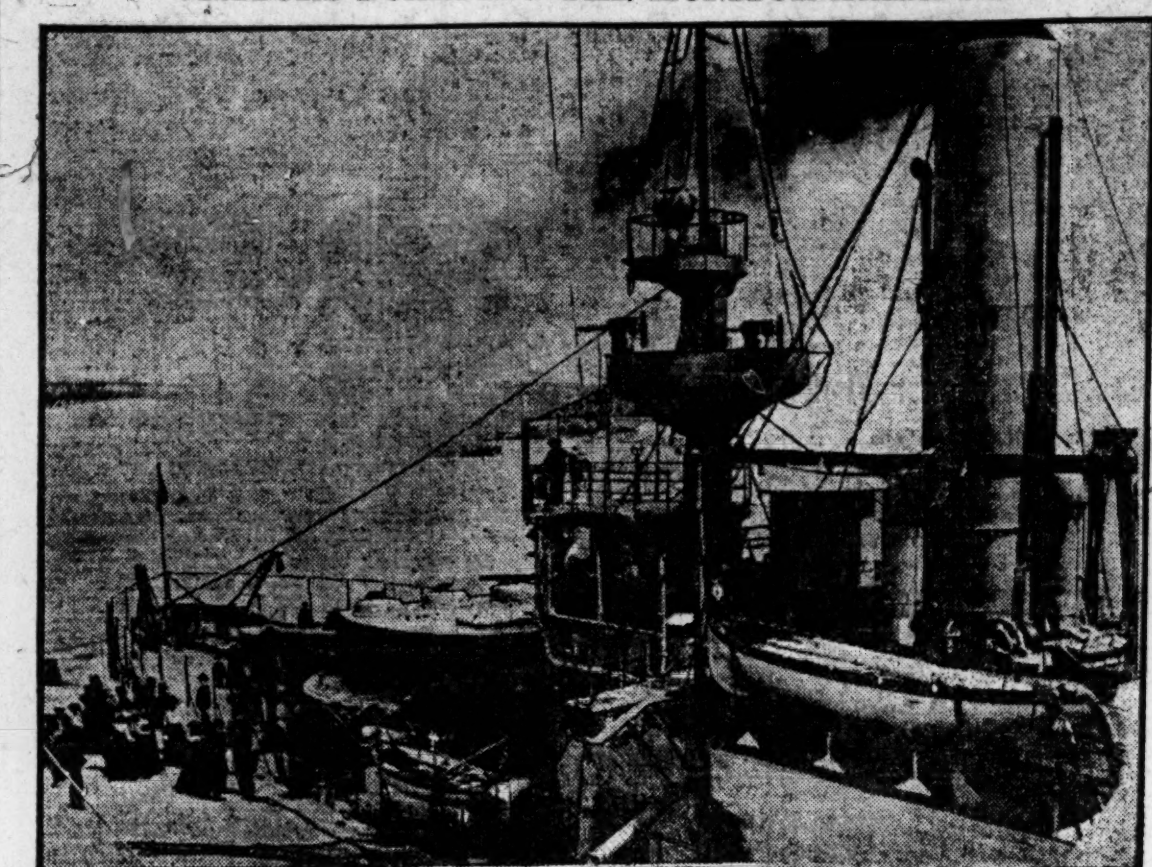
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VISITORS BOARDING THE MONITOR ARKANSAS



STOKERS' LOT IS NOT A HAPPY ONE

No matter how hot a battle the Arkansas may some day be in, there will be men at work aboard her who will not hear much of the roar of her guns.

All through the fight they will toil and sweat in her hold, as undisturbed by the noise of the guns as if they were in an inland village.

They are the stokers who feed the furnaces that furnish power for the battle. Should they stop for half an hour the guns would be silenced, the rudder would be helpless and the monitor would drift into the hands of the enemy.

Their place is in the furnace room in the hold of the ship far below the water line. One side of their room has a wall of furnace doors, which they swing open and shut as they throw in the coal.

Two more stokers are stationed at the end of the furnace. Kinross was struck out. Shot too hot for sailors' catcher.

The second inning was not so easy for the sailors. Kelley of C. B. C. made a hit and then things happened. The catcher permitted several bases on passed balls, the second baseman, Spencer, and Centerfielder Kinross let balls run away from them.

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Apply, the "Happy Hooligan" of the sailors, shouldered his bat and stood with feet well set at the base. His white trousers suggested skirts and his white hat pulled down over his ears looked like an inverted tin bucket. He made no effort to hit the first ball and the umpire, admiring his good judgment, termed it a "ball."

He did not try at the second, but when the third came, he hit it hard. It struck ground away from the C. B. C. fielders and "Happy" sailed to second base, not in a straight line, but by describing a curve of 180 degrees from first to second. The spectators went wild and the goat bawled.

Siegleman, third baseman, followed "Happy" at bat. Siegleman tried three times, but he couldn't hit the ball, he walked back smiling. "Happy" got to third on a passed ball.

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THE TRUTH ABOUT YARMOUTH'S DOT

Mother of the Bride Calls It a "Small Complimentary Fractional Income."

DECLARES THE EARL HAS NOT BEEN MADE WEALTHY

Explains Status of Her Daughter's Fortune and Criticizes Modern Printers for the Lavish Use of Cliphers.

PITTSBURGH, April 28.—The following communication to the Associated Press by Mrs. William Thaw, mother of the Countess of Yarmouth, explains itself:

"There is one line of romance to call it by no harsher name—largely indulged in by newspapers, which the Associated Press is asked to correct. This may account for the fact that Dr. Whitteley did not smell gas."

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CHILD AND AGED WOMAN FOUND DYING

Foster Parents of Loretta McDermott Ascribe Her Death and Mrs. O'Keefe's Illness to Escaping Gas.

DOCTOR SAYS HE DID NOT DISCOVER GAS ODOR

He Refused to Issue a Death Certificate, the Police are Making an Investigation and an Inquest Will Be Held.

The police are investigating the cause of the death of Loretta McDermott, 7 years old, which occurred under peculiar circumstances early Wednesday morning at the home of her foster-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Muldoon of 1402 Papin street.

The child was discovered in an unconscious condition in bed at 5 o'clock Wednesday morning by Mrs. Muldoon. By the child's side was lying Mrs. Bridget O'Keefe, her aunt, about 70 years of age, also unconscious.

The child died while being treated with hot water, prescribed by Dr. G. E. Whitteley of 1423 Chouteau avenue, who was summoned.

Mrs. O'Keefe was taken to the City Hospital, where it is feared she cannot recover. Asphyxiation by gas is ascribed by Mr. and Mrs. Muldoon as the cause of the death of the little girl and the serious illness of Mrs. O'Keefe, but Dr. Whitteley maintains that he could discover no signs of gas having been the cause. The physician declares that when he reached the Muldoon home he was unable to detect the slightest odor of gas, and that the condition of the bodies of the two persons did not indicate that suffocation had overcome either of them.

According to Dr. Whitteley's statement their condition may have been due to natural causes, but he adds that the circumstances are mysterious.

Mrs. Muldoon declares there was a strong odor of gas in the room when she entered, and that she threw open all the doors and windows. This may account for the fact that Dr. Whitteley did not smell gas.

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Declined to Be the Guest of Ex-Gov. Stephens at Jefferson City.

LATTER HAD SPOKEN FAVORABLY OF FRANCIS

Bryan Wrote Him a Letter Requesting That He Cease Saying Harsh Things About "My Friend Stone."

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 28.—Because former governor Lon V. Stephens publicly commended president D. R. Francis of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition as one of the available men for the Democratic presidential nomination, William Jennings Bryan "sulked" on an invitation to deliver a lecture at the Methodist church in this city.

Stephens and Bryan had always been warm friends.

When the Post-Dispatch printed the lobby record of United States Senator Stone, parts of which were verified by Gov. Stephens, the latter received a letter from Bryan in which he asked the ex-governor "to desist in saying harsh things of his friend" referring to Stone.

Stephens replied that Stone could blame only himself because of what was published.

Now Mr. Bryan urged William J. Stone for the presidency. Everybody told this declaration, which appeared in the Commercial Appeal and the Nebraska statesman, and Bryan had written to him to be his friend in all seriousness.

About the same time Gov. Stephens letter intimated President Francis's appearance.

Mr. Bryan had signified his intention of coming to the capital to deliver an address and he was to stop at the Stephens' mansion.

At the last minute, he wrote to Dr. Patton, pastor of the Methodist Church, informing him that he (Bryan) could not afford to become the ex-governor's guest.

The matter went on to say that the fact that Stephens had approved Mr. Francis had caused him to change his mind.

"He is one of the strongest of the reorganizers," said Bryan, referring to Francis.

Dr. Patton, replying to Mr. Bryan, expressed regret that, owing to the shortness of time, "we cannot arrange to have you come."

The real reason, however, was the Stephens-Francis political incident.

KAISERSHORSES SENT TO ROME

The Emperor Will Use His Own Carriage in Calling on the Pope.

BERLIN, April 28.—A train load of Emperor William's horses and equipage left here for Rome today, so that the emperor when calling on the Pope need not use a carriage of King Victor Emmanuel, whose liveries have not yet been seen inside the papal precincts. As the emperor had to send one royal vehicle, he concluded to send two, with eight coach horses, three saddle horses and 20 coachmen, groomers and footmen.

The story that the emperor is not going to Rome was a hoax, and the emperor's visit to Rome is really the cause of her staying at home.

Grain Elevator Collapses

LETTERS ARE NEW GLEW IN HARRIS CASE

Woman Accused of Killing Two Husbands Wrote to Her Family Connections in Maine.

FIRST DEGREE MURDER WILL NOT BE CHARGED

Evidence Thus far Received Has Not Convinced Prosecutor of Premeditation on Wife's Part.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Dalton now has the recent developments in relation to the killing of Edgar M. Harris under advisement, and will decide what action is to be taken against Mrs. Cummings, now suspected of murdering her former husband.

He says it will probably be impossible to issue a warrant charging the woman with murder in the first degree, as evidence offered to him did not show premeditation.

It was expected that Mrs. Nora Behler, of 424 Easton avenue would testify that Mrs. Harris told her she was going to kill Harris. It is understood that this was not shown by testimony which Mrs. Behler gave Mr. Dalton.

Wednesday morning Mr. Dalton received a telegram from Skowhegan, Me., signed by G. W. Gow, county attorney, stating that letters which may prove of value in the prosecution of Mrs. Cummings are on their way to St. Louis. These letters, it was stated, were written to relatives and friends of Harris by Mrs. Harris in regard to the shooting of her husband.

It is not known what they contain, but it is not likely that any action will be taken towards issuing a warrant until they have arrived and have been examined.

STILL AFTER THE ILLINOIS BOODLERS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 28.—The legislative investigating committee resumed the boodle inquiry and was in session until this morning.

The session was held behind closed doors and the witnesses were required by the committee not to divulge any of their testimony.

Among the witnesses summoned were Col. E. R. Bliss, general counsel for the Chicago City Railway Co.; Edwin Burritt Smith, special counsel for the city of Chicago; and Representative D. M. Mitchell and A. W. Nohs.

In regard to the theory that Mr. Bliss went to the Metropolitan Bank on a certain day and got a package from the teller, he said before entering the committee's room.

"I did on the last day of March go to the Metropolitan Bank. I went, however, to get a statement of my account as I usually do on the last day of the month. I did not go to the paying teller, but to the teller who handles the accounts of my statement. That is all there is to the story."

Witnesses, who were called before the committee during the night so far as can be learned, failed to materially enlighten the committee as to the allegations of bribery. It was nearly 3 a. m. when the committee adjourned.

ROW IN EQUALIZATION BOARD

Dockery and Others Want the Crow Resolution Kept Out of the Record.

SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.

JEFFERSON CITY, April 28.—A proposition to increase by \$40,000,000 the valuation for assessment of the public franchise corporations of Missouri has brought about serious differences among the members of the state board of equalization and as a result the printing of the 1901 official proceedings has been indefinitely delayed.

Auditor Allen told the Post-Dispatch respondent today that the resolution to raise the assessments on steam and street railroad properties, refused to sign the report until a record in made of all that transpired in the board's session. By a vote of 4 the resolution was defeated.

It is the disposition of Gov. D. R. Francis to omit Crow's resolutions from the official proceedings and thus shelve the action of those who are for the corporate interests which will contribute to the Democratic campaign.

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Gov. Dockery, it is said, urged General Crow repeatedly to withdraw his resolution, but to no purpose.

Dockery, it is thought, feared that he might appear that the Democratic administration had declined to carry out the requirements of the franchise law would do great harm to the Democratic organization.

THINK OF SNOW IN TEXAS

Flakes Are Falling at Washburn and Other Points in the State.

SPECIAL TO THE POST-DISPATCH.

DALLAS, Tex., April 28.—The Western Union Telegraph Co. has reported that heavy snow is falling at Washburn and other points in the state today.

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MONTH OF MARCH AVERAGE

Largest West of the Mississippi

BY 100,000

The cotter's Thursday night may inspire several local poets. "Paint me as I am," said Cronwell; "Smash the camera," says J. P. M.

The assimilation of Manchuria by Russia will doubtless be sufficiently benevolent.

"This is a world of change," as the journal clerk at Jefferson City said when he altered the minutes of the Senate in 1901.

With a former school teacher in the office of Lieutenant-governor, the legislature ought to be educated up to honest legislation.

PRACTICAL GOOD ROADS WORK.

That the interest in improved roads is widespread and profound is evidenced in the fact that representative men in large numbers are taking part in the deliberations of the convention now in session in St. Louis.

President Roosevelt expressed eager interest and will speak from a clear recognition of the importance of the subject. Secretary Wilson looks at it from the farmer's point of view and Gen. Miles from that of an army man who desires a system of real and serviceable national highways.

The convention is composed of men and women representing all industries and interests, showing that all classes are affected and eagerly desire the establishment of such a system. It is hoped that the active friends and workers in the good cause will not lose sight of this capital consideration—practicality.

The question of road building, like every other, is connected with and more or less involved in legal and political questions, and it is easy for active-minded people to lose themselves in the mazes of legal and constitutional discussion and wander about indefinitely without approaching the object sought.

What we want is good roads. But if we must first ascertain to what extent the powers of the general government may be and how the authority of Congress is to be adjusted to that of the state legislatures, we may get many interesting examples of constitutional interpretation, but not good roads.

The sentiment behind this movement is crystallizing along practical lines and should be kept there. If the acknowledged and unquestioned powers of Congress are invoked in aid of the enterprise they will no doubt be generously granted. But it will be very unwise to undertake a plan likely to be checked in execution by scruples of the constitutional conscience.

Practicality and speedy results—these should be the regulative principles of the movement. Let the states and local communities assume the responsibility and depend upon Congress for so much help only as can be obtained without raising troublesome questions.

The grand jury at Jefferson City adjourned that one of its members might get married. No racial suicide in Missouri, Mr. Roosevelt.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE CLUB WOMAN?

Many a man will rejoice over Dr. Holland's feeling remarks about marriage and divorce.

The clubwoman is to blame for divorce. (Whether she is to blame for marriage does not appear in the report.)

The clubwoman is one who "smatters in knowledge."

That's what she matters. It's good to hear the truth in set terms.

The clubwoman's culture is made up of a dash of Dante, a smack of Shakespeare. To the club woman "smatter is the mark of intellect."

Dear, dear, what a terrible creature the club woman must be. Has the reader ever happened to meet a club woman?

If it is true that she causes divorce, of course she should be banished.

But banishment is like hare pie. You must first catch your club woman and identify her.

This ought to be easy after Dr. Holland's description. Monsieur Bertillon couldn't be more explicit.

Do you know a woman who smatters in knowledge, who takes dash of Dante and a smack of Shakespeare, whose culture is in puffs and pants, who has a sway back, a stiff neck and a tight head; who is away from home half the day and farther when she returns? Mark her. Call the police. She's the woman who causes divorce (and perhaps marriage). She's the woman who must be banished to save the race from suicide.

ub woman must go. The salvation of the race depends on she it gone what shall some of us do for something to talk about? Alas!

Thaw is a sensible man. His coldness toward the sister with an earl is not to be censured. There is little, whether it comes with wealth or poverty, that equals that of plain American citizen.

QUALITY OF THE HUMAN RACE.

In Tuesday's Post-Dispatch Mrs. Mary A. Livermore took issue with President Roosevelt's plea for larger families. Mrs. Livermore does not believe that a decrease in the average number of children to each family imperils the race. She says:

"The need is not more children, but better ones. It would not be suicide if we were to have more homes into which only three children were born. Quality and character signify more than quantity."

A column of the paper appeared the sad story of the cholera Brown, said to be the richest baby in the many millions, he has always been so weakly.

If he will live to enjoy his wealth. And the of similar cases where, in the race for the become the heritage of " " for whom wealth can be direct

in effect such an attempt. And nature frowns upon it and sets her penalties upon those who follow this course.

History fails to record a single instance where an improved quality in human beings has been the outcome of the policy advocated by Mrs. Livermore. The big family is usually the healthy family. And so many of the world's great men and women have sprung from such families that it would appear that nature has set her seal of approval on the kind of family which President Roosevelt had in mind when he denounced "race suicide."

Senator Stone did not meet the question of veracity raised by his denial that he lobbied for the Baking Powder Trust's pure food law in 1909, when he supplied the press with a telegram signed by ex-Representative Russell Knelsley of Carroll County stating that "those purported interviews with me with reference to you are fakes." The question is not whether the interviews were "fakes," but was the statement they contained true? There was only one statement published and that did not claim to be a direct interview, but the report of a statement made to friends. Correspondent Evans of the Kansas City Star says that he heard Knelsley make the statement about Stone in the presence of several friends. Tuesday's Post-Dispatch contained the statement of Joseph Shannon that Knelsley told him that Stone asked him to advance the pure food law on the calendar of the House in the session of 1909. Ex-Gov. Stephens says Frank P. Walsh of Kansas City repeated Knelsley's statement to him. Knelsley has not met the issue of veracity, nor has Stone. Senator Stone cannot pull himself out of the mire of the alum scandal by evasion and denials that don't dev.

ST. LOUIS A WORLD FOCUS.

Visitors to St. Louis who come to view the World's Fair dedication ceremonies will not find the city thoroughly prepared for the entertainment of World's Fair throngs. The work of preparation is far from completion; in some respects it is just beginning.

But our guests will find a great, prosperous, rapidly-growing city, now thoroughly awake to the importance and extent of the task of entertaining the world. While they will not find sufficient hotel room to accommodate the great number of visitors, they will find provisions made for the comfortable lodging of all. They will find a warm welcome and hospitable entertainment. They will find preparations under way for the greater throngs expected next year.

On the World's Fair grounds there are surprises for all who are not familiar with the plan and progress of the work. Visitors will find an exposition site unrivaled in beauty, presenting in place of the monotony of the level plains of former expositions the charming variety of plain and wooded hills; they will find grounds twice the extent of those of the largest previous exposition, and plans so far exceeding those of others in size of buildings and scope of exhibitions as to be incomparably beyond them; they will see buildings erected or in course of erection far exceeding in size those of any other exposition. The work of preparation on the grounds is well advanced. What is there is the fair promise of what will be there one year hence.

But beyond all exposition plans and preparations is the significance of the event commemorated by the dedicatory exercises. It marks the great expansion of the American republic which gave it control of a continent and made it a leader in progress—not merely the material, but the political and social progress of mankind. This expansion gave room for the old world's oppressed millions and supplied the strength which has made the wonderful growth and influence of the United States possible. It has made it the refuge of the oppressed, the protector of the weak and the inspiration of the rest of mankind.

It is this, the significance of the event and the wonders wrought by reason of it in the hundred years since, that makes St. Louis the center of interest, that brings to it the representatives of our own government and of the governments of the world. The interest in the Exposition itself should not make either St. Louisans or their guests unmindful of the event and its significance, which the Exposition will typify and illustrate.

If T. J. and N. B. are where they can look down upon tomorrow's pageant, or catch the vocal vibrations of T. R. and G. C., how proud they will be of that little transaction of their century ago.

RELIEF FOR PAPA.

Relief is in sight for the man who shaves himself. There is hope that he will be able to own, maintain and operate a razor which bears the distinction of having a keen edge—a blessing which but few razors can hope to enjoy as long as they are located in a populous and inquisitive household.

When the head of such a family sets about the task of shaving himself he usually finds that the edge of his razor is sadly battered. Either Willie has been using it as a jack-knife or his wife has impressed it into service as a can-opener. If not that, she has employed it to remove tacks from a carpet during house-cleaning time or to split kindling. If not this, she has probably used it to scrape the mud off of the front steps or to remove the burnt grease from the outside of the waffle irons.

All this may soon be changed. A toolmaker in Hamilton, O., has announced the perfection of a marvelous process for tempering steel. He has given a public demonstration of the possibilities of his process, using a razor of his own manufacture. With it he cut pieces from wrought iron nails and then shaved himself in sight of his audience with the same blade, without altering its condition in the least.

Plainly, this invention marks a step in the direction of morality. With a good razor and a smooth shave, the head of the household will be in a frame of mind more receptive of truth and piety than he is today, and the general atmosphere of the home, at times surcharged with profanity, will take on a holy calm.

If in three months of 1932 there were 933 killed and 11,873 injured on American railways, what may be the record in three months of 1933?

"The only man now living whom the people have elected to the Presidency" will be one of the speakers in St. Louis tomorrow.

A county with good roads and a city with good streets will both have their share of growth and prosperity.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

Cheer, boys, cheer!

For Ted is here.

He's blown in from the West.

To say we dare

St. Lou had ne'er

So strenuous a guest.

Don't say you haven't seen the Arkansas.

Nothing succeeds like success and nothing proceeds like a procession.

Stand not upon the order of your buying, but buy at once your dedication ticket.

Dr. Holland will certainly be voted an old fogey at the next meeting of the club women.

A lot of people would like to see the Arkansas shoot the shoot that would scare the farthest suburbs.

Mr. Bowie, the new weather prophet, is from Texas. Will he tolerate any sharp criticisms of his prophecies?

It is much better for our astronomers to discover new planets than for our sailors to discover new Philippines.

The don't-take-your-money-with-you-and-don't-leave-it-at-home idea should not be neglected in the dedication days.

POST-DISPATCH ANSWERS.

Write nothing but questions and signatures. Legal questions not answered. Business addresses not given. No answer printed on any specified date.

E. A. O'KEEFE—There is one colored man—a mulatto—in the crew of the Arkansas.

S. VESLEY SANDLES—Weather on March 25, 1933, clear; maximum temperature, 54; minimum, 32.

DAILY SUBSCRIBER—You can fish in Cahokia creek if your net has a 2-inch mesh, at any time.

NO BIG—No premium on half dollar of 1834. L. B. R.—Premium on three-dollar gold piece of 1834, \$2.

E. F. P.—Under the new law to go into effect June 21, 10 per cent of the wages of the head of a family may be garnished.

A. R. C.—Opening of World's Fair May 1, closing Oct. 31. Closed on Sundays. Time of closing may be extended if advisable.

J. B.—Chairmen are allowed to return to their country without their cars, but they are likely to be mistreated by hoodlums if they do.

READER—You can stay in the World's Fair grounds after 5 p. m. on a 25-cent ticket. All children not carried in arms must have tickets.

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DEDICATION DAY.

"I'll have to hurry up work: I'll have to labor like a Turk. In fierce and unremitting way. I'll have to slave without a pause." The common toiler says, "because Tomorrow's Dedication Day."

"If I would see the grand parade, That great imposing cavalcade, That international display, I'll have to hurry up and get Some work ahead, so they will let Me off on Dedication Day."

"My predilections may play hob With this my much-beloved job. But I have only this to say, That, whatever may follow this, I simply cannot, will not miss The sights on Dedication Day."

"So tell me not to labor then, And threaten not to frown again, Nor e'er be saucy, nor get gay, For I am free to tell you now I simply won't work, anyhow, On glorious Dedication Day."

Advance Parade Notes.

The gentleman from the United States of Columbia declines to throw a double commercial for the entertainment of the dedication crowds, although he is familiar with revolutions.

Don't get off any puns about Chili weather, Chili sauce or Chilliote when the ambassador from Valparaiso goes by. It may make him hot.

Don't throw cigarettes at the South American representatives as a mark of admiration. They carry their own shokes. Any member of the Missouri legislature seen loitering along the line of march will be run in as a suspicious character.

If a man steps on your foot and fails to apologize, don't get angry and hit him on the jaw. Seek him in the eye.

Don't endeavor to "start something" in the vicinity of President Roosevelt by imitating the cry of a wildcat.

Visitors desiring to inspect the uniform of Gen. Miles should provide themselves with smoked glass in advance.

The Russian ambassador may be offended if anybody attempts to recite "Who fears to speak of '83?"

The report that the minister from Brazil will distribute diamonds along the route is untrue.

If the ether wobbles slightly, do not be alarmed. That is Grover Cleveland's carriage passing.

The Russian ambassador may be dry, but you will never see him Russian the growler.

Don't yell at Admiral Dewey and remind him that tomorrow is the list of May.

Don't cheer the Chinese ambassador until he gives you the queue.

The Siamese are not twins.

Tomorrow.

No use to grumble or complain. Nor to indulge in fiery talk. If you would see the big parade, You'll have to buckle down and walk.

"Doubt that the stars are fire; doubt that the sun doth move; doubt truth to be a liar," and also doubt when a man proclaims that devotion to the truth caused his political downfall.

After witnessing the great pyrotechnic display Thursday evening you will begin to appreciate what the old expression, "This world and then the fireworks," means.

That dark cloud which partially obscures the eastern horizon is the shadow of the Hon. Grover Cleveland, now nearing St. Louis.

This is a good day to boost the booster and knock the knocker of the Fair.

STATE COLLEGE COLORS.

University of Alabama—Crimson and white.

University of California—Blue and gold.

University of Colorado—Gold and silver.

University of Connecticut—Red and yellow.

University of Georgia—Red and black.

University of Illinois—Black and gold.

University of Kansas—Crimson.

University of Michigan—Malise and blue.

University of Minnesota—Old gold and maroon.

University of Missouri—Gold and black.

University of Nebraska—Scarlet and cream.

University of North Carolina—White and blue.

University of Pennsylvania—Red and blue.

University of South Carolina—Vermilion.

University of South Dakota—Orange and white.

University of Tennessee—Orange and white.

University of Texas—White and old gold.

University of Vermont—Straw and dark green.

University of Virginia—Navy blue and gold.

University of Washington—Purple and gold.

University of Wisconsin—Crimson.

HOW TO WATERPROOF BOOTS.

For the benefit of the readers of your valuable paper who are like myself obliged to do outdoor work during all seasons of the year, and particularly during the winter, I have been thinking of the importance of waterproofing boots, etc., says a correspondent of the Scientific American, I have for the last five years used successfully a dressing for leather boots and shoes, composed of oil and India rubber, keeping out moisture and unobtrusive to the leather applied, leaving same soft and pliable. To prepare same, heat in an iron vessel either fish oil, castor oil or even tallow to about 250 degrees Fahrenheit, then add, into small pieces, vulcanized or raw India rubber, about 15 of the weight of the oil, gradually stirring the same with a wooden spatula until the rubber is completely dissolved in the oil; lastly, add to give it color, a small amount of printer's ink. Four into a suitable vessel and let cool. One or two applications of this are sufficient to thoroughly waterproof a pair of boots or shoes for a season.

POST-DISPATCH FASHIONS

Pongee Gown for House or Street.



Pongee, which is one of the coolest and most serviceable of materials, is enjoying even a greater popularity this year than it did last. It is used for nearly all manner of gowns, from the simplest shirt waist suit to dressy afternoon costumes, as well as for both long and short coats.

For a long traveling or driving coat its qualities are almost unrivaled, for it is cool, weighs next to nothing, sheds dust and washes perfectly. These coats, as a rule, are only trimmed by stitched bands or tucks, but coats for general wear are elaborately inset with lace embroidery, etc. A good model for a long traveling coat is one with a loose back, belted into the figure at the waist-line, and straight, single or double breasted fronts, trimmed with large buttons and triple shoulder capes. Bell are more useful than of bishop sleeves on a coat of this kind, as they slip on and off easily and set well over most any kind of a dress sleeve that may be worn.

The pongee gown illustrated today might be worn either for a street or house gown, and it would be becoming to either a tall or short girl. The skirt is of the gathered variety, but gored to reduce the amount of fullness around the hips. It is gathered at two places to simulate a graduated flounce, and is so shirred that little headbands or bows are a trimming.

The bodice is particularly attractive, being inset with medallions and trimmed with a wide collar of Bulgarian embroidery. The embroidered pieces and the bodice are joined together by bands of pongee, worked with a simple cross-stitch, in the prevailing color of the Bulgarian embroidery. The lace used is Cluny, and the under-sleeves and bit of under-blouse are of pongee colored silk mull.

What is the difference between a man and a woman? The man is a creature of habit, the woman is a creature of fashion.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Duty of Mayor and Police Board.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: Seeing the opinion of Judge Moore in sustaining the motion to quash the indictment against Capt. Boyd revives a recollection of the act creating the police board, and ask if it would not be well for Mr. Folk, while getting after officials who have neglected their duty in not using their power to prevent the violation of the laws of the state and the ordinances of the city, to see what our present mayor and the police board have done in the matter. He, the mayor, tells us that he received letters regarding internal reform and turned them over to the chief of police. There he thinks his duty ends. Is it not his duty to see that the police board, as an official member of the police board, should be not have the police board see that the laws are enforced? He, as well as the police commissioners and chief of police, took solemn pledges to honestly perform their several duties, and as police commissioners are obligated themselves not to make the police a political machine, section 4, 5 and 6 of act creating police board. A READER OF THE POST-DISPATCH, St. Louis.

White for the Ladies.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: I think it would be very nice if you would suggest that the St. Louis ladies all wear white on Dedication Day. If the weather permits, as white has been so fashionable most everyone has a white gown of some description. I think it would add greatly to the clean appearance we are trying to give the city. St. Louis. MRS. FORTNELL.

No Offense Intended.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: On last Tuesday you kindly printed a paragraph in your Letters From the People for me. I thank you for your judgment of my meaning according to the header you gave, to the Old Soldier's answer to my few words. I wish you would justify me to the old veteran of from '61 to '65, by inserting in some future issue this: I beg leave to take off my hat to the old veteran of from '61 to '65, as I expect he is misunderstanding my expression of "pensioning the old boodiers the same as old soldiers was meant for an illustration with no intention of insult to anyone. St. Louis. PETER H. MCORMICK.

The Boat Problem.

 If you don't find here the *location* you desire, *advertise* for it. Step into the *nearest drug store* and have your advertisement telephoned to the *Post-Dispatch* office. Only regular office rates charged.

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT

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DOCT. DISPATCH MARKET

POST-DISPATCH MARKET

LIVESTOCK MARKET.		PRODUCE MARKET.	
National Stockyards.		Fruits.	
No markets tomorrow.		The produce market is in observance of dedication day. All the commission houses a third and main streets will be the day and no market will be made.	
CATTLE.—Receipts 2400. Trade was generally inactive. Prices lower on steers. There was a light supply of both butcher steers and stockers and feeders. The market was reported Southern supplies contained mostly entirely of holders, on which trade was called steady.		STRAWBERRIES.—Most of the steers today receipts, the market was quiet. Quality of offerings fair, a large part was the day and no market will be made. Demand fair, an buyers holding off for fresh receipts expected to be large. Arkansas, per case, \$1.50; California, \$1.75; Oregon, \$1.50; Washington, \$1.50. Damaged and inferior, Little receipts in bad shape and sold at \$1.00 per case. Little, \$1.00; California, \$1.00; Oregon, \$1.00; Washington, \$1.00. Damaged and inferior, Little, \$1.00; California, \$1.00; Oregon, \$1.00; Washington, \$1.00.	
20 Texas cows	830	40 native steers	1274
10 Texas cows	800	40 native steers	1274
20 Texas bulls	1008	10 native steers	1188
30 native steers	1200	5 native heifers	708
30 native steers	1241	10 native heifers	708
40 native steers	1241		
14 native steers	1217		
21 native steers	1274		
21 native steers	1274		
16 native steers	1188		
5 native heifers	708		
10 native heifers	708		

22 native heifers	645	4	40	ORANGES—Firm. Carlets California new
3 native heifers	816	4	35	\$2.25 and seedlings at \$3.75 per 100 on track
HOGS—Receipts, 8000. A fair number arrived.				LEMONS—California track at \$15.00
and the market was again a lower basis.				choice and \$2.50. Foreign track at \$1.50
decline as a rule amounting to 10c. Trading was				\$5 per box. On orders, 2000 per box highest
quiet and the clearance good.				MALAGA GRAPES—\$5 a bush.
SALLES.				PEANUTS—\$102 per bush on orders.
No. Sales. Price No. Sales. Price.				COCOA—\$100 per 1000 each track, and
47..... 274..... \$8 95	89..... 288..... \$8 02			bing at \$2.50 per 100.
76..... 264..... 6 90	74..... 277..... 6 87 1/4			VEGETABLES.

42.....	205.....	6 85	56.....	194.....	6 09 1/2
60.....	204.....	6 80	36.....	234.....	6 75
<p>42531—Receipts, 300. Receipts were small and the market lie higher, or about the same as the close of last week; trading was active for all decent mutton stock.</p>					
SALES.					
No.			Ar.		Price.
26 sheep			121.		\$4 00

9 sheep	102	4 75
88 sheep	102	4 75
18 lambs	66	7 50
24 lambs	63	7 25

HORSE QUOTATIONS.
HORSES AND MULES—Market fair; receipts, 300.
 Heavy draft—
 Common to good\$120 00\$150 00
 Choice to extra150 00\$185 00

SWEEPSTAKE—
 99 in sacks delivered from storage. Good
 shalable stock at 40¢ per cwt.
 CABBAGE—New and lower; 5¢ 1/2 to
 1¢ per pound for Texas.
 SAUERKRAUT—\$1.15 per 4-bbl and \$2.25
 per 8-bbl.
 On orders high.
 CUCUMBER—\$1.25 per 100 lbs.
 SWEET POTATOE—Market fair.
 Bermuda, \$2.75 for Queen, \$2.50 for

Chunks, 1150 to 1860 pounds—		per bbl. Illinois yellow Janco
Fair to good	65 00@80 00	STUBBLE BEANS—Florida, 12 1/2 for small
Good to choice	82 00@110 00	and 13 1/2 for large
Good beans and choice		green and 17 1/2 for fat green; Minnesota
Fair to good	140 00@175 00	per 2-3-in box; Texas, 50c per 1-3-in box;
Choice to extra	200 00@500 00	Santa Vampora, 52.
Horses for the South, small, light	drivers—	SPINACI—Home-grown, 40¢ per bu.
Fair to good	25 00@45 00	
Choice to extra	50 00@75 00	TURPINS—New home-grown at 11¢ per
Southern drivers, large	88 00@125 00	box and 75c per bbl. New Orleans

Export chunks, 1200 to 1500 pounds—	
Plain to good	75 00 to 90 00
Choice to extra	100 00 to 120 00
Business drivers	
Fair to good	80 00 to 110 00
Choice to extra	125 00 to 150 00
Saddlers for southern use—	
Fair to good	75 00 to 90 00
Choice to extra	100 00 to 125 00
Fancy gaited and N. Y. saddlers..	150 00 to 200 00

Inferior horses.....	20 00	30 00	for fancy for 6s.
Common, small plugs.....	40 00	50 00	OCCURENCES—New Orleans, \$3.00 per
Heavy work plugs.....	40 00	50 00	Florida at \$1.50 per
MULE COWBOYS.			
(For broke mules, 4 to 7 years.)			
14 hands, extreme range.....	\$ 00 00	90 00	per head.
14 hands, bulk of sales.....	65 00	75 00	SACRAMENTO, \$2.50 per large car.
14 hands, bulk of sales.....	80 00	90 00	CELERY-Farm. California trained, 75-80
14 1/2 hands, bulk of sales.....	80 00	90 00	per bunch; celery roots, 200-400 per dozen.
15 hands, extreme range.....	85 00	110 00	BETS—Home-grown at 100-150 per bushel.
15 hands, extreme range.....	85 00	110 00	75c per bushel; New Orleans at 200-250c dozen by
15 hands, extreme range.....	85 00	110 00	CARROTS—Home-grown at 75-100c per bushel.

15 bands, bulk of sales	90	006410	60
164 bands, extreme range	100	0061125	00
164 bands, bulk of sales	120	0061125	00
15 to 164 bands, extreme range	120	0061175	00
16 to 164 bands, bulk of sales	135	0061168	00

The first line of quotations in each class is calculated to represent the full range from common to extra, but however, extra is a very small relative bunches (all tops) for buyers, which sometimes sell considerably above the highest quotations.

Orleans at 50¢/bush.
 PARNIPS—15¢ per bu. box.
 PEPPERS—Florida, 41¢/bush; per bush.
 Cuban, 40¢/bush.
 KALE—Home-grown, 10¢/bush per bu. box.
 CAULIFLOWERS—Home-grown, 33¢/bush per bu. box.
 GREEN PEAS—Steeds at 15¢ per bush; extra at 50¢ for hampers of 100 bush.
 Mississippi, \$1.21; 200 bu. box, \$9.45; 400 bu. box, \$18.90.

tion. The second line of quotations signifies the bulk of sales and generally represents the various classes as they are sold on the commission market, more or less mixed.

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Lead and Spelter.

LEAD—Dull and heavy market at the recent decline, 200 tons Missouri selling at \$4.20 and more offered at that price.

SPELTER—Fairly active market at 30¢ per lb. for 1-3-lb. box for Texas.

ASPARAGUS—Home-grown, \$12.50 per cwt. higher.

ROSEBUSH—\$2.50 per 30' per bbl. On order.

PARSLEY—New Orleans at 80¢ per cwt. per dozen bunches.

KOHLRABI—25¢ per dozen bunches.

ENDIVES—Home-grown, 75¢ per lb. box; 50¢ per cwt.

CABBAGE—New Orleans, 25¢ a steady market.

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.
14 Words or Less, 20c.



dark, 14G114c; light fine, 10G1015c; heavy 11G112c. Angora goat hair—Long lustrous, 25 short and coarse, 11G113c; slightly berry, 10G114c; coarse, 10G115c. Kansas Nebraska and western—Bright medium, 10G117c; dark, 14c; light fine, 10G115c; heavy and much, 12c. Texas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma—13 months, 10G117c; medium, 8 to 9 months, 10G118c; coarse and low, 10G119c. 16c; heavy sandy, 10G11c. Arkansas and

—Medium (fence), 11¢(174); medium (fence), 16¢; burry, 12¢(13¢; hard burry, 9¢(10¢; weaved—No. 1, 23¢(28¢; No. 2, 22¢(26¢; 18¢(19¢.

FURS—Session about over, but some mess. Round: Raccoon, 40¢ to 55¢; mink, to 80¢; skunk, 20¢ to 50¢; opossum, 50¢ to gray fox, 50¢ to 80¢; red fox, 75¢ to \$1.00; 35¢ to 45¢; 40¢ to 45¢; other, 10¢ to 15¢; muskrat, 15¢; wild cat, 50¢; strip cat, 15¢ to 20¢.

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ROOTS-Per pound: Ginseng at \$3.50 to lady slipper, 8c; seneca, 60¢; pink, 14c; eu seal, 48c; black, 4c; May apple, 25¢; m. #1330-white snake worth 50¢; angelica, walrus-bark of root, 8c; burg 5c; Syc. binedag, 3c; sassafras, bark of root, 6c; ginger, 7c.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

PECANS-5c for small to 5½c for good-size.

PEANUTS-Fancy 9c, extra 8c, common 7c.

To lease or sell. 5 acres, 300 yards from south-eastern entrance; suitable for hotel, tenting ground. Apply to W. S. Haven, 115 S. 8th st.

AGENTS' RENT LISTS.

WHEAT.

—Red at 14¢; white at 21¢ 25¢.

POPCORN—On cob, per 100 lbs: Pearl, 30¢; mixed, 50¢ 75¢; rice, 41¢ 25¢.

HOPE—No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808

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4302A Maryland, 8 rooms.....	\$45 00
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from \$2 to \$2.40; millet at 75c to \$1.05; 1/2
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used in chaff to \$4.50 to 5d for choice to 1c
Clover, 57 to \$11.50 for fair to prime per bu.
ONION SEEDS—Tops at 95c to 1c. Bottoms
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CAYENNE PEPPER—Price in carlots \$1.25 per
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5047	Morgan, 8 rooms.	55 00	DRIED FRUIT—Evaporated apples, 3c for 1 lb to 4c for fair and 4½c for fancy; damsons, 1c less; bleached onions at 1½¢; egg, 4½c per lb; sun-dried tomatoes at 2½¢ per lb.
4306	Maryland, 6 rooms.	32 50	BEANS and PEAS—Onions, per bu., store; Dried green peas—Scotch at \$1.75; peas at \$2.10; blackeye at \$1.75; 3½¢ per lb. New peas, 3½¢ per lb. Lentils, 4½c.
4158	Lindell bl., 8 STAFF 3d floor.	300 00	
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4137	Lindell bl., 7 rooms, 1st floor.	75 00	
4137	Lindell bl., 8 rooms, 3d floor.	75 00	
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Choice hand-picked beef at 22 1/2c; prime
beef at 18 1/2c; dressed at 15 1/2c; pig
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at 12c; California white at 10 1/2c; choice
\$2.20; 1/2 lb. per case. Extracted and strained
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